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May 12, 2011

Mr. Joseph D. Dorsey District of Columbia Department of Transportation 1301 M Street, SE Washington DC 20003

Subject: South Capitol Street Final Environmental Impact Statement/Section 4 (f) Evaluation March 2011, Washington, District of Columbia. CEQ # 20110099

Dear Mr. Dorsey:

In accordance with the National Environmental Policy Act (NEPA) and Section 309 of the Clean Air Act, the U.S. Environmental Protection Agency (EPA) has reviewed the subject document. Based on our review and your response to our March 31, 2008 letter on the Draft Environmental Impact Statement, EPA has determined that our comments have been adequately addressed and we have no objections to this project.

We encourage the project team to continue to avoid and minimize impacts as the project moves forward and to continue to work on storm water management in the area.

Thank you for the opportunity to provide comments on the FEIS. Should you have any questions regarding our comments concerning the NEPA process, please contact Ms. Barbara Okorn at 215-814-3330.

Sincerely,

Barbara Rudnick NEPA Team Leader

Office of Environmental Programs